

110TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. 2099

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to repeal the Medicare competitive bidding demonstration project for clinical laboratory services.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 26, 2007

Mr. SALAZAR (for himself, Mr. ROBERTS, and Ms. CANTWELL) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4       This Act may be cited as the “Preserving Access to  
5       Laboratory Services Act of 2007”.

1 **SEC. 2. REPEAL OF THE MEDICARE COMPETITIVE BIDDING**  
2 **DEMONSTRATION PROJECT FOR CLINICAL**  
3 **LABORATORY SERVICES.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1847 of the Social Secu-  
5 rity Act (42 U.S.C. 1395w–3) is amended by striking sub-  
6 section (e).

7 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by  
8 subsection (a) shall take effect on the date of the enact-  
9 ment of this Act.

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